NINETEEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY

THE RAMBLER

"Lest We Forget...."

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The Rambler officers, evidently unaware of the toil which lies before them, gleefully discuss plans for the coming year.

Susan, Nancy, Gloria, Linda, and John work on the layout for the front page.

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The NINETEEN

"Now here's a good idea" suggests Linda as she collaborates with Patsy, Dana, Nancy, Charles, Coryn, and Ronnie on the class layouts.

Betty, Julia, Garner, Judy, Gracie and James are seen looking at some suggestions for the club layouts.

HUNDRED AND SIXTY *Rambler*

.... THE *Golden Memories* ....

Lest we forget, we have entered the halls of Renan High School inspired by the strength, vigor and freshness of youth, to create traditions, and to grow mentally and spiritually. Also, in the contemplation of the past, we may look through these pages of our true personalities as they are disclosed to you in this book.

Confidently we face tomorrow, for today we are strengthened by knowledge, trained for leadership, and enriched by companionship. Through the cooperate efforts of church, school and home we have learned the essence of adult life-independence and freedom in the true sense. As we strive along the years we face the truth and independence when we learn to respect the right of others, the responsibility, and to be tolerant of Gods creatures.

Lest We Forget, our departures are symbolic of our entrances, and our achievements made this year. Now, as its representatives, we, the annual staff, present the students' annual--The Rambler.

Golden memories! Yes, it is for Carolyn, Coryn, and Melvin who are seniors this year.

What happy memories are called to mind by this picture of Sue, Melvin, and Nancy standing before Mr. Parcher's house, in our senior class play, "Seventeen"!

The "Can Can Dancers" were one of the highlights at the Junior-Senior Prom.

Nancy Farmer represents Renan High in the Christmas Parade during the holiday.

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OF OUR *School Life*

THE RADIANT ATMOSPHERE OF THE *Classes.....*

Throughout our high school careers, we have found that not only a river of school spirit flows through Renan High, but also a strong current of class spirit and a radiant atmosphere is prevalent.

Now wait.....should this be single spaced typing?

Susan, Garner, John and Faye are taking advice from Mrs. Short on what are the most important dates to study for exams.

"As the Sun colors Flowers, so does Art color Life."

Fight, Team, Fight! This lively group lets the teams know they can depend on the student's support.

Some fine hurling is expected from these boys.

Just another point to victory as Gloria aims for the goal.

This represents the physical side of our well-rounded student, who must have an outlet for pent-up energies. There have been victories, and there have been defeats. Always, however, we have had the joy and satisfaction of knowing that we played the game in a sportsmanlike manner.

COMBINED WITH THE COMPETATIVE SHOUTS OF *Sports....*

WE CAN RECALL THESE FOND MEMOR

To temper work with play is imperative. We must learn to live life in leisure moments, to balance our lives with the proper blend of social activity. Man knows himself by understanding others, for the "proper study of mankind is man". By this process life is fulfilled and enriched.

At the annual PTA Bazaar the following kings and queens were crowned according to the popularity contest. Betty Hutcherson and Mike Wilson as Primary King and Queen; Sheilia Lea, Baby Contest Winner; David Hutcherson and Jo Ann Moorefield. Elementary King and Queen; Linda Moon and Sayford Moon as High School King and Queen.

Here Bobby Shelton and Gerald Edwards are ready to leave for the train station to go to Kansas City, Missouri to the National Chorus Convention and National FFA Convention. Gerald is also state Beta president.

IES.....

These FFA-FHA members work hastily in preparation of their annual FFA-FHA Banquet and Prom.

Gerald Edwards, State Beta President, spoke at the Beta assembly, using as his topic "Honesty".

Class editors Garner Dillard and Alma Robertson work busily on the class layout envelopes to meet deadline dates.

"Lest We Forget"!

Dedication

We Seek To Honor . . . .

A teacher who has greatly contributed to the welfare and high standing of Renan High School; for his endless patience and interest toward those whom he instructs; for his co-operation with fellow-instructors.

As a tribute to a personage whose actions and attitudes are an inspiration to all, we dedicate this 1960 RAMBLER to MR. CHARLIE J. FRANKS.

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Principal

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Sophomore Sponsor

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Commercial,
Sophomore Sponsor

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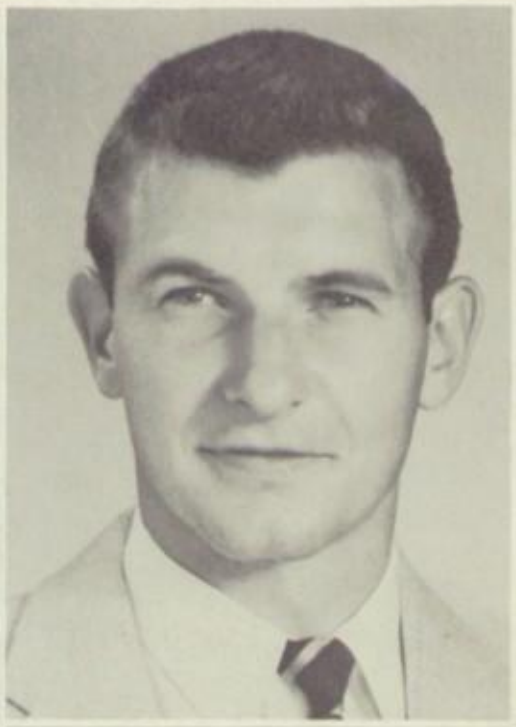

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Junior High Sponsor

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Glee Club

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Mrs. Helen Worsham
Seventh Grade

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Mrs. Dorothy Owen
Fifth Grade

Mrs. Clara Rowland
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Mrs. Mary Lee Riddle
First Grade

Classes

Judy Shelton . . . . . Reporter
Carolyn Dews . . . . . Treasurer
Sue Shelton . . . . . Secretary
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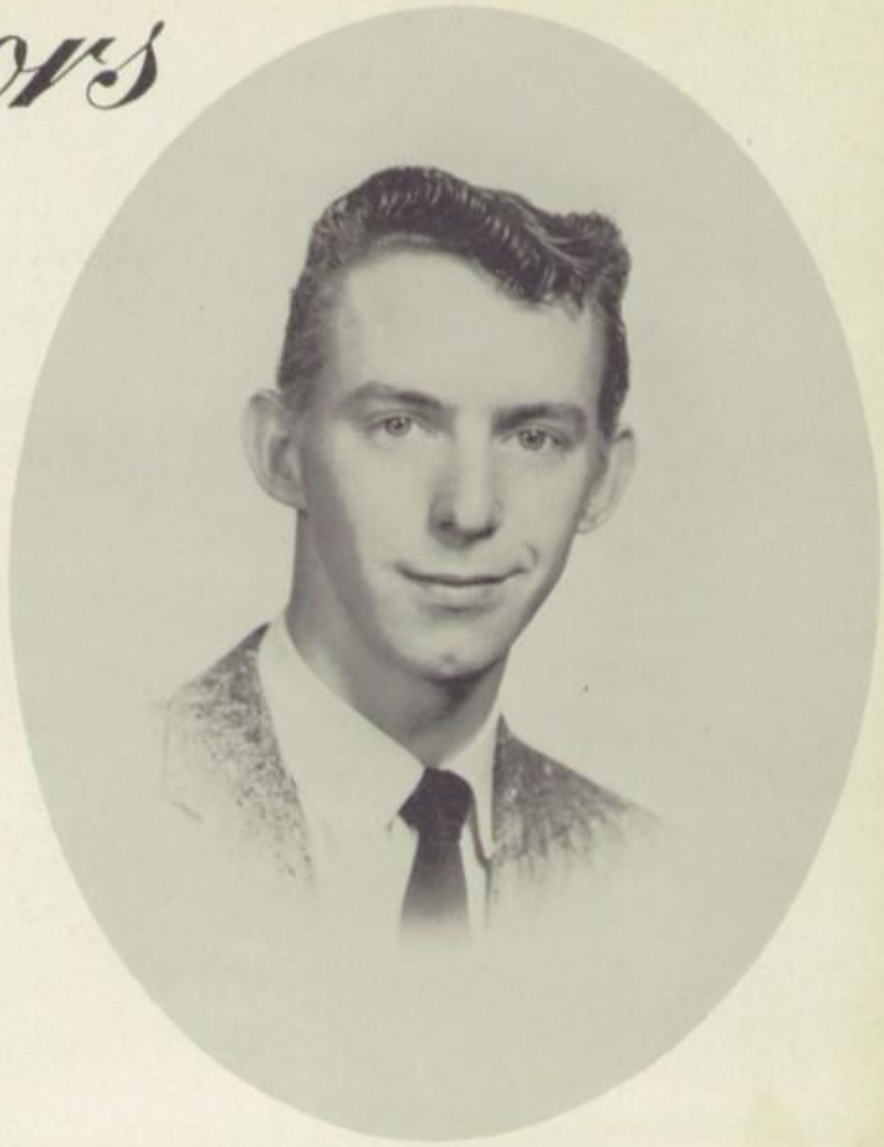
Gerald Edwards . . . . . .President

Senior Officers

Seniors

MELVIN STANLEY ALBECK



MELVIN ROGERS BRUCE

DOLORES FAYE DAWSON

CAROLYN ANN DEWS

Seniors

JAMES McARTHUR DOSS

CHARLES MILAM EDWARDS

GERALD ELMO EDWARDS

NANCY MARIE FARMER

Seniors

BOBBY LEE GRUBBS

NANCY CAROL GRUBBS

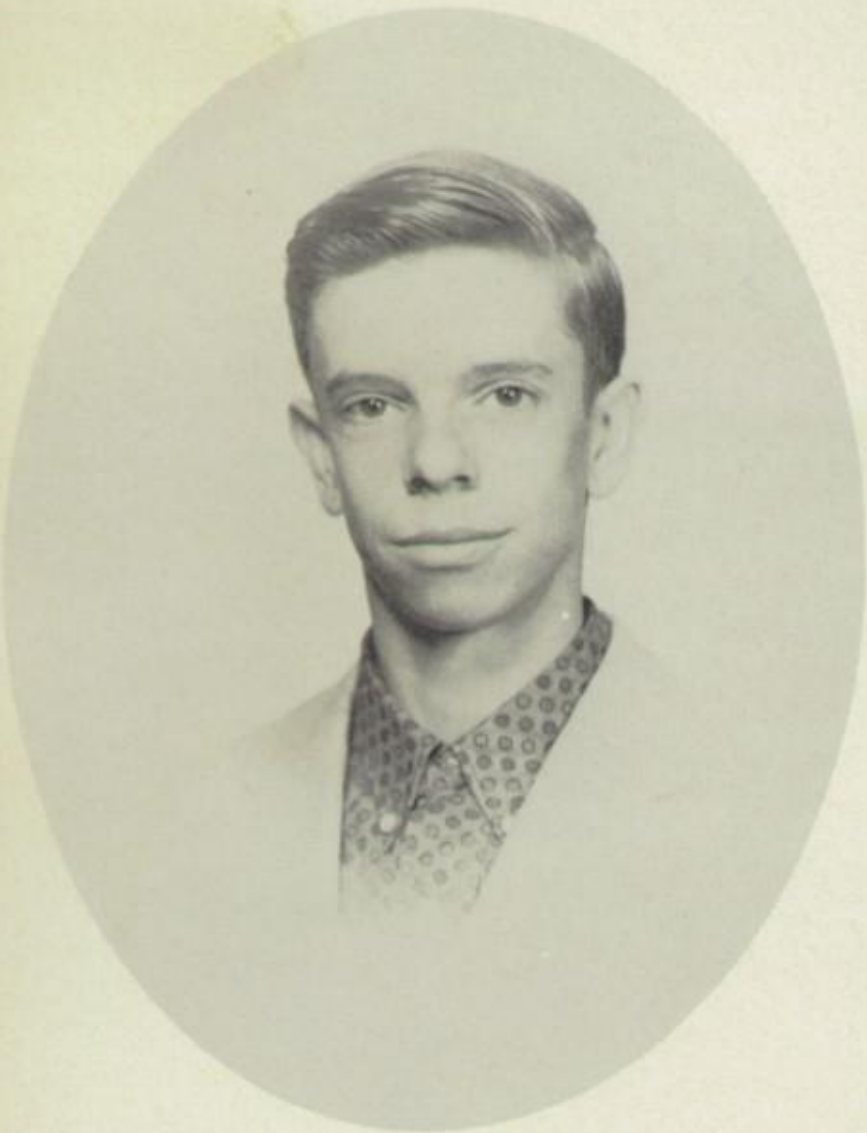
ELEASE FAYE HINES

BARBARA ANN HUTCHERSON

Seniors

KENNETH DOUGLAS HUTCHERSON

CORYN AYERS JOHNSON



WAVERLEY THOMAS JONES

WENDELL GAYLE KELLY

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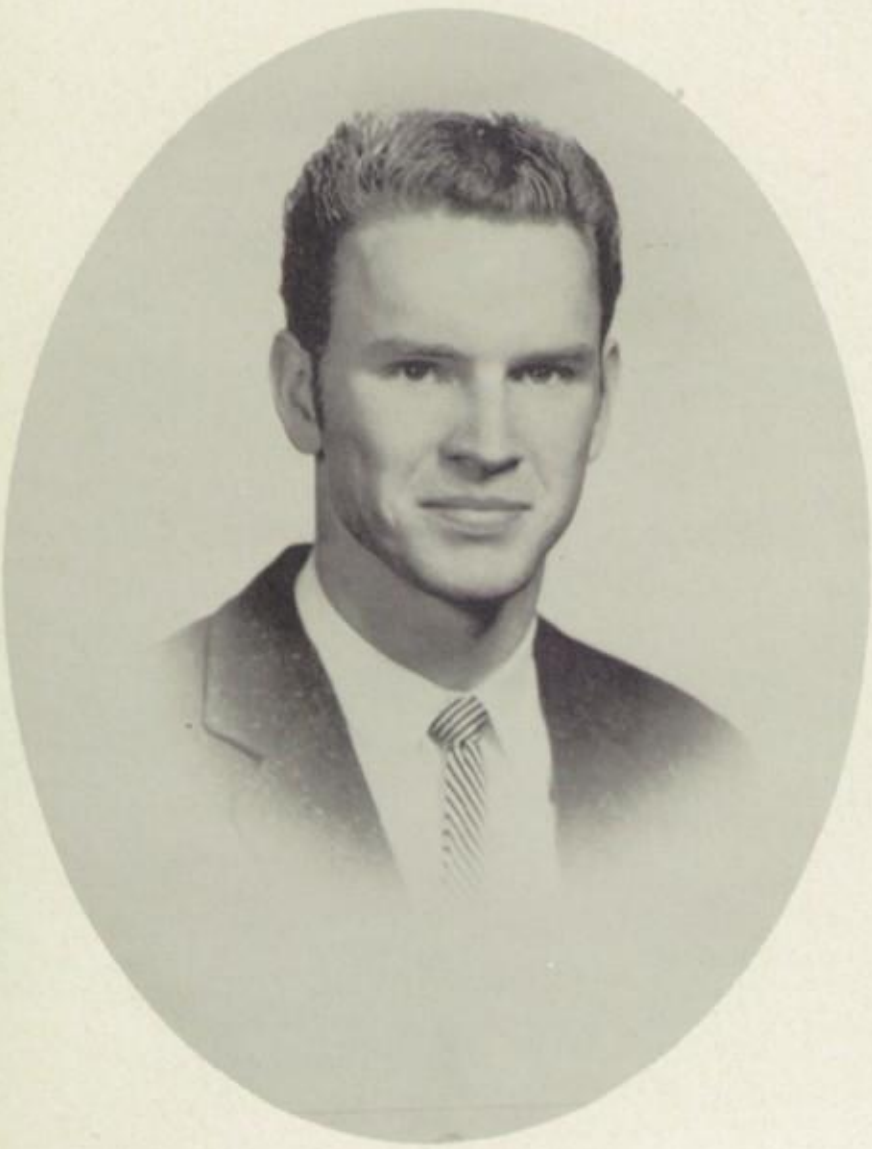
REUBEN WILLIAM MAYHEW

LINDA DALE MOON



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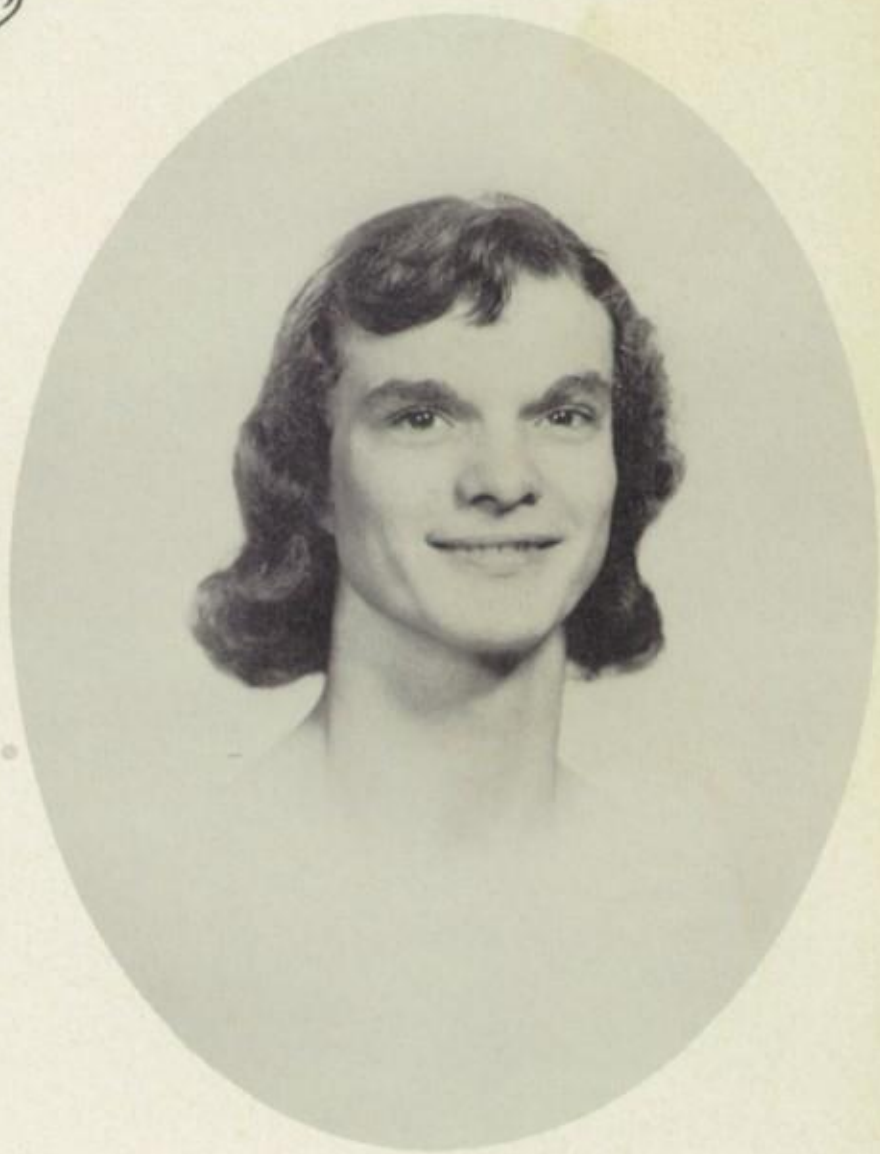


ALMA CANDLER ROBERTSON

Seniors

JULIA ELLEN SHELTON

ANNIE SUE SHELTON

PHILIP GLEN TRENT

VIRGINIA MAE WILSON

Juniors

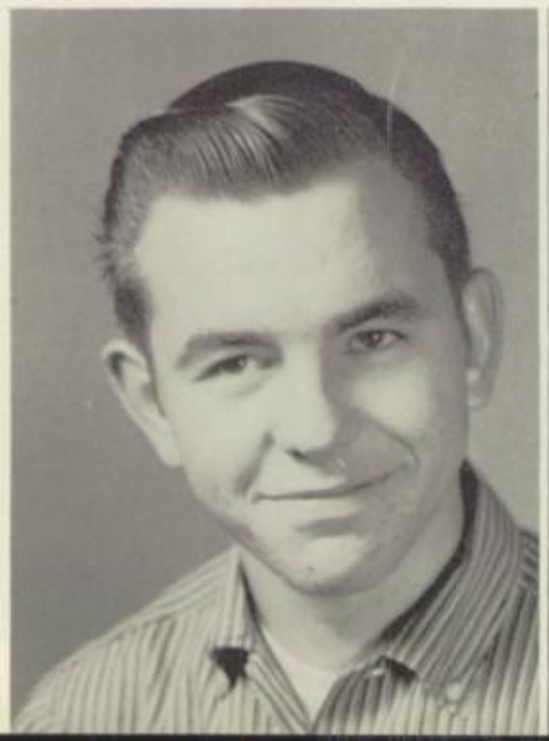
Junior class officers: first row: Betty Elliott, Vice-President; Nancy Dawson, Reporter; Gracie Johnson, Secretary; Ronnie Shelton, President. second row: Mrs. Eula M. Angel, Sponsor; Garner Dillard, Treasurer; Elaine Davis, Naomi Rowland, Historians.

Bruce Arthur

Linda Blackstock

Joann Cannoy

Junior Clay



Karl Clay

Susan Coleman

Jun

Hilary Compton

Wayne Compton

Betty Crews

Patsy Crews

Elaine Davis

Vernelle Davis

Nancy Dawson

Garner Dillard

Betty Jane Elliott

Dana Finch

iors

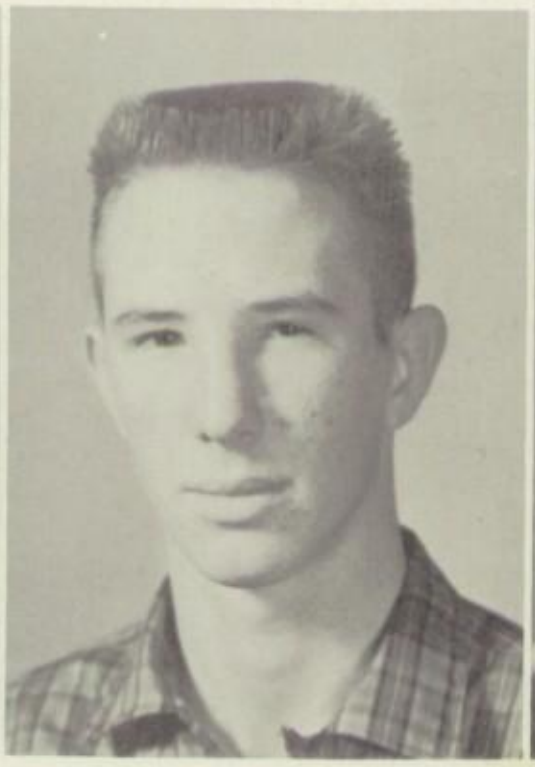
Elaine Hodnett

Johnny Hall

Abbitt Hollie

Gloria Dean Hutcherson

Eunice Jacobs



Johnny Jennings

Gracie Johnson

Billy Johnson

Faye Keesee

William Lovelace

Juniors

George Mays

Ronald Moon

Eunice Roach

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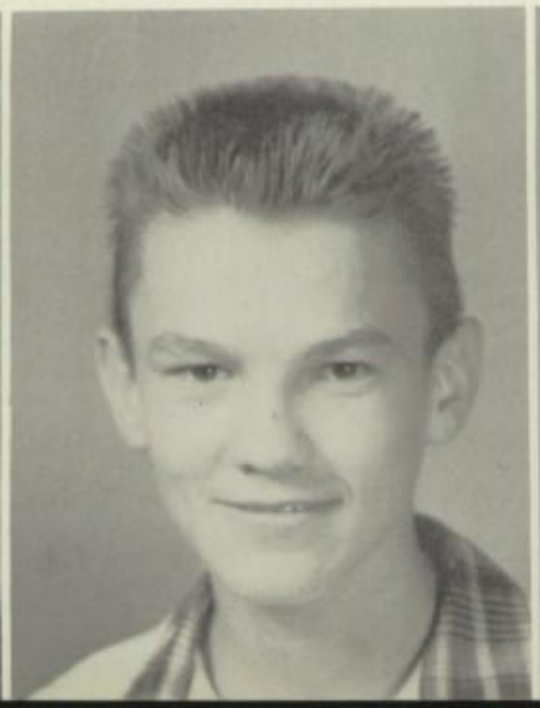
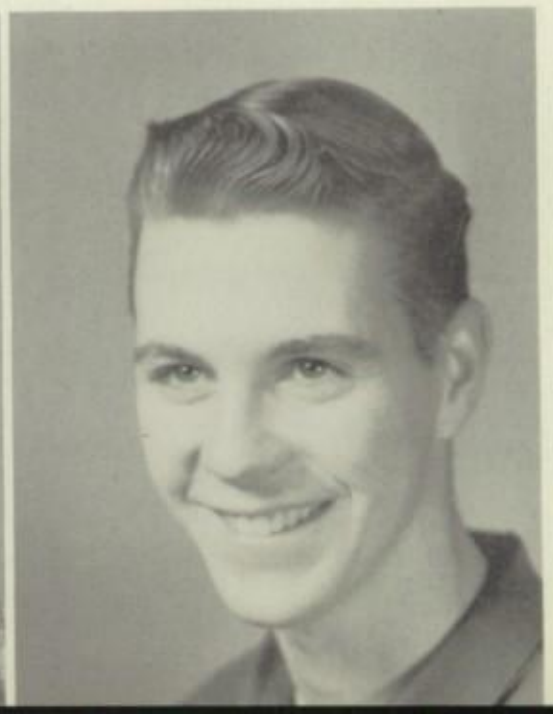
Bobby Shelton

Ronnie Shelton



Leroy Short



Sophomores

Sophomore Class Officers: Front row: Mrs. Bryon Blair, Sponsor; Julia Coleman, Secretary; Linda Dawson, President; Miss Iva Jean Sours, Sponsor. Second row: Roger Dawson, Treasurer; James Stone, Treasurer; John Waller, Reporter; Gene Hutcherson, Vice-President.

Marvin Barley

Julia Coleman

Wayne Crews

Linda Dawson

Roger Dawson

Nancy Eanes

Wendy Giles

Diane Hall

Linda Hart

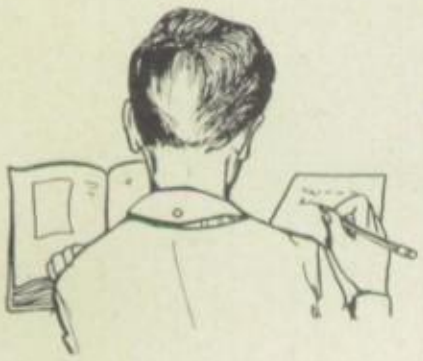
Sopho

James Hubbard

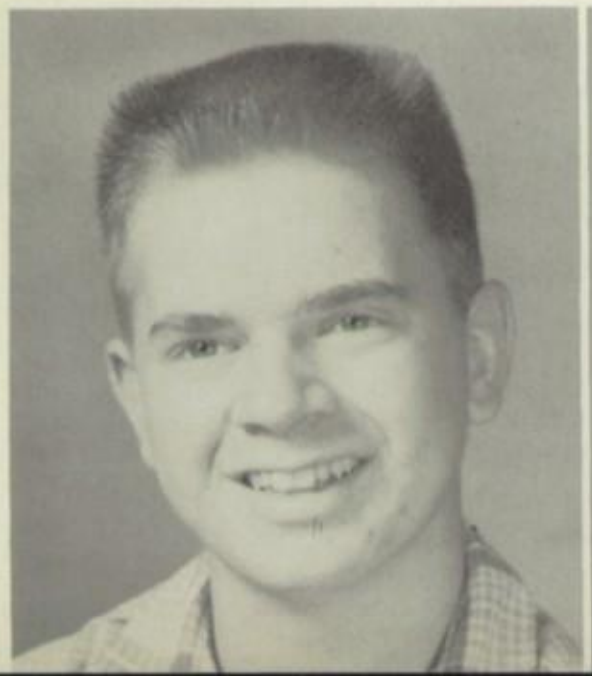
Gene Hutcherson

Ann Jacobs

Judy Layne



Sandy Kelly



Harold Keatts

Judith Moon

Anna Moschler

Andy Nuckols

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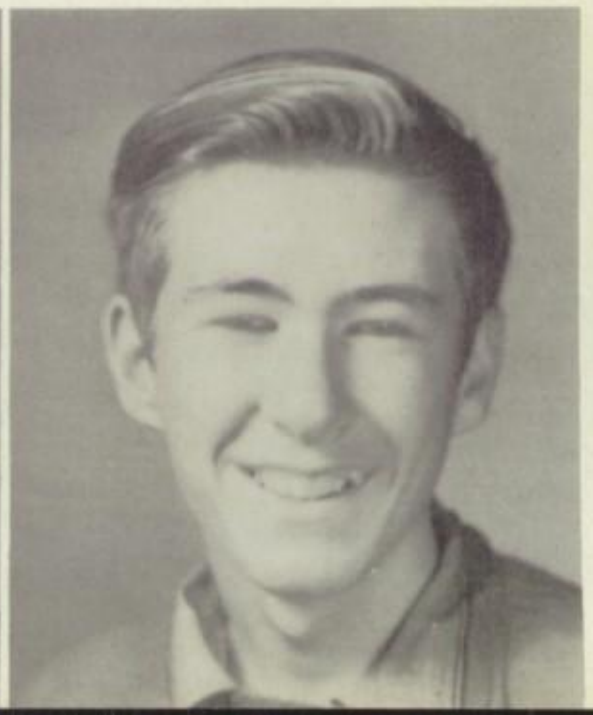
Joyce Robertson

Julian Shelton

Philip Shotwell

Donald Stone



Sophomores

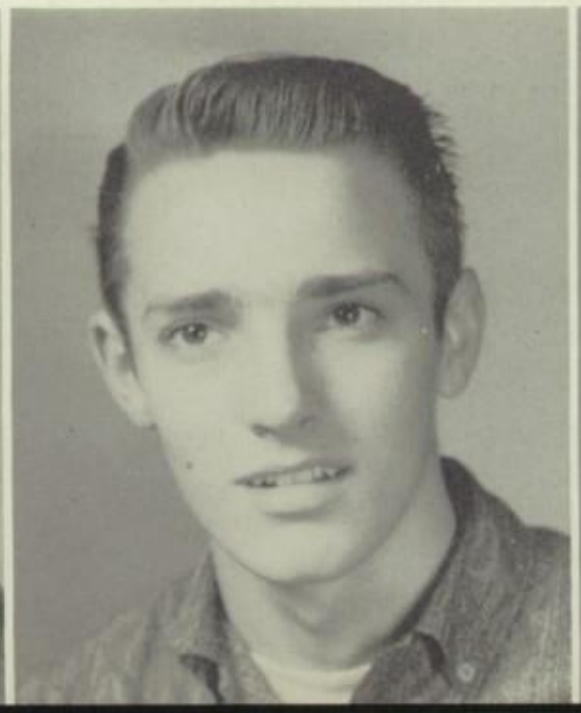
James Stone

Mary Vaughan

John Waller

Delano Watlington

Johnie Worsham Jr.



Nathan Worsham

Freshmen

Freshman Class Officers: Front row: Linda Lewis, Treasurer; Jane Edwards, Secretary; Delma Arthur, President. Second row: Mr. Harold Johnson, Sponsor; Randy Treadway, Vice-President; Carroll Bruce, Reporter; Mr. Louis Moschler, Sponsor.

Delma Arthur
Edna Compton

David Booker
Wylene Compton

Carroll Bruce
Morris Davis

Nancy Bruce
Carol Dillard

Freshmen

Jane Edwards
Barbara Elliott
Billie Giles

Brenda Goode
Carolyn Hutcherson
Connie Hutcherson

Nancy Hutcherson
Gerald Jacobs
Peggy Jacobs

Lesely Johnson
Wilbur Kelly
Dorothy King

Nancy Layne
Linda Mitchell
Alfred Moon

Freshmen

J. D. Moon
Jesse T. Moon
Judy Moorefield

Linda Moorefield
Martin Pruitt
Ellen Riggleman

R. J. Rowland
Tommy Saunders
Randy Treadway

Paulette Watlington
Jimmy Wilson
Richard A. Wilson

Richard W. Wilson
Helen Worsham
Minerva Worsham

Junior High

Junior High Officers: Jean Davis, Secretary; Winnie Saunders, Reporter; Mrs. Patricia Short, Sponsor; G. E. Milam, Treasurer; Wayne Clay, Vice-President; Sayford Moon, President; Mr. Walter Lea, Sponsor.

Billy Anderson
Donald Adams

Richard Adams
Wayne Blackstock
Wayne Clay

Ozelle Compton
Vicky Crews
Patricia Dalton
Billy Davis

Jean Davis
Tommy Davis
Billy Dawson
Carolyn Doss
Stephen Dunn

Junior High

Mildred Grant
Jean Hutcherson

Brenda Sue Jennings

Wesley Jacobs

Earlene Jones
Bobby Layne

Michael Lea
G. E. Milam, Jr.
Sayford Moon

Catherine Moschler
John Nuckols
Shirley Power
Linda Roach

Mary Robertson
Thomas Rowland
Winnie Sue Saunders
Betty Stone
Sammy Stone

Doris Trent
Hortense Updike
Marie Waller
Ann Wilson
Mary Francis Wilson

Senior Statistics

MELVIN STANLEY ALBECK - FFA, 1,2,3,4, Cattle Judging Contest Winner in Pittsylvania County 2, Delegate to FFA Convention 2, State Cattle Judging Contest 2, KVG, 1,2,3,4, Library Club, 4.

MELVIN ROGERS BRUCE - FFA, 1,2,3, Chaplain 2, Sentinel, 3, KVG, 1,2,3; Senior Play; Junior Play; Baseball, 1,2,3,4; Basketball, 2,3; Glee Club, 2,3,4; Treasurer 4; Library Club, 4; Vice-President 4.

DELORES FAYE DAWSON - FHA, 1,2,3,4; Library Club 4; Pep Club, 4; FBLA, 2; Speech Arts Play, 3.

CAROLYN ANN DEWS - FHA, 1,2,3,4; Class Treasurer, 1,4; Library Club, 4.

JAMES McARTHUR DOSS - Class Treasurer, 2; Reporter, 3; Beta Club, 2,3,4; Renaner Staff, 3; Rambler Staff, 3,4; Assistant Editor, 3; Editor-in-Chief, 4; Beta Club Convention, 2,3,4; SIPA Convention, 2,3; Glee Club, 2,3,4, Vice-President, 4; Library Club, 4, President, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Safety Patrolman, 4; Teenage Club, 2; King of Beta Winter Wonderland Dance, 3.

CHARLES MILAM EDWARDS - Junior Play; Senior Play; Monogram Club, 2,3,4, Reporter, 3; FFA, 1,2,3,4, Reporter, 3; KVG 3,4; FFA Public Speaking, 2; Forestry Team, 2,3; Degree Team, 2,3; Beta Club, 2,3,4, 2nd Vice-President, 3, President, 4; Class Vice-President, 3,4; Baseball, 2,3,4; Basketball, 1,2,3,4; Beta Convention, 2,3,4.

GERALD ELMO EDWARDS - State Beta President, 4; Class President, 1,2,3,4; Monogram Club, 2,3,4, President, 3; FFA, 1,2,3,4; FFA Federation Secretary, 4; Chapter Secretary, 3; Degree Team, 2,3; Dairy Foundation Award, 2,3; National Convention, 4; State Rally, 1,2,3; State Farm Mechanics Contest, 2,3; Dairy Judging Team, 1,2; Crop Judging Team, 3; Tractor Driving Contest, 4; Forestry Team, 3,4; King of FFA-FHA Dance, 3; KVG, 3,4; Senior Play; Junior Play; Basketball, 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain, 4; Baseball, 1,2,3,4; Beta Club, 2,3,4; Vice-President, 3,4; Beta Club Convention, 2,3,4; Rambler Staff, 3,4; Class Editor, 3; Club Editor, 4.

NANCY MARIE FARMER - Class Secretary, 2; Junior Play; Senior Play; FBLA, 3,4, Treasurer, 4; Massanetta Conference, 3; FHA, 1,2,3,4; Renaner Staff, 3, Typist, 3; Glee Club, 4; Secretary, 4; Miss Renan, 4.

BOBBY LEE GRUBBS - Class Reporter, 2; Junior Play; Senior Play; Glee Club, 4; Renaner Staff, 2; Art Editor, 2; Library Club, 4; FBLA, 3,4.

NANCY CAROL GRUBBS - FHA, 1,2,3; FBLA, 3,4; Beta Club, 4; Rambler Staff, 4; Glee Club, 4; Library Club, 4; Renaner Staff, 3; D.A.R. Good Citizen Award, 4.

ELEASE FAYE HINES - Junior Play; Senior Play; FBLA, 3,4; Vice-President, 4; FHA, 2,3,4; Glee Club, 2,3; Cheerleader, 4.

BARBARA ANN HUTCHERSON - FHA, 1,2,3; Speech Arts Play, 3.

KENNETH DOUGLAS HUTCHERSON - FFA, 1,2,3,4; Forestry Judging Team, 2; Degree Team, 2,3; Junior Play; Senior Play; KVG, 2,3,4; Forensic Meeting, 3; Basketball, 2.

CORYN AYERS JOHNSON - FHA, 1,2,3,4; Class Parliamentarian, 2; Glee Club, 3; Beta Club, 2,3,4; Beta Convention, 2,4; Beta Courtesy Award, 4; Rambler Staff, 3,4; Junior Play; Senior Play; FBLA, 3,4; Historian, 4; Class Sgt-at-Arms, 1.

WAVERLY THOMAS JONES - FFA, 1,2,3; KVG, 2,3; Degree Team, 1; Senior Play.

REUBEN WILLIAM MAYHEW - FFA, 1,2,3,4; KVG, 1, 2,3,4.

LINDA DALE MOON - FHA, 1,2,3,4; Parliamentarian, 2; Vice-President, 3, Treasurer, 4, Federation Pianist, 4; Honorary Vice-President of Danville Fair, 4; Beta Club, 2,3,4; Beta Convention, 2,3,4; Beta Courtesy Award, 3,4; Rambler Staff, 3,4; Basketball, 1; Cheerleading, 2,3,4; Co-Captain, 4; Class Secretary, 1; Treasurer, 3; Queen of PTA Bazaar 1959; Glee Club, 4; President, 4; Forensic Play, 3; Junior Play; Senior Play; Monogram Club.

JOHN DAVIS REYNOLDS - Library Club, 4.

ALMA CANDLER ROBERTSON - Monogram Club, 3, 4; Beta Club, 3,4; Beta Convention, 3; Junior Play; Basketball, 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain, 3,4; Class Editor of Rambler, 4.

JULIA ELLEN SHELTON - FHA, 1,2,3,4, Reporter, 3; Beta Club, 2,3,4; Beta Convention, 3,4; Rambler Staff, 4; Class Reporter, 1,4; Junior Play; Glee Club, 4; Betty Crocker Award, 4.

ANNIE SUE SHELTON - Class Vice-President, 1,2; Secretary, 3,4; Junior Play; Senior Play; FHA, 1,2,3,4; Treasurer, 2; President, 3,4; Fair Fashion Show, 4; Fair Honorary Vice-President, 3; FHA State Convention, 2; Beta Club, 2,3,4; Reporter, 3; State Convention, 3; Campaign Manager for State Beta President, 3; Beta Courtesy Award, 3,4; Rambler Staff, 3,4; Assistant Business Manager, 3; Business Manager, 4; Monogram Club, 2,3,4; Basketball, 1,2,3,4; Co-Captain, 4; Forensic Poetry Reading, 3; Speech Arts Play, 3; School Reporter Star Tribune, 4; Altavista Journal, 4; Virginia Girl's State, 3.

PHILIP GLEN TRENT - FFA, 1,2,3; Degree Team 2; State Rally, 2; State Dairy Judging Team, 2; KVG, 2,3; Basketball, 1; Monogram Club, 2,3,4; Vice-President, 4; Forensic Poetry, 2; Forensic Play, 3; Junior Play, 3; Senior Play, 4; Library Club, 4; Secretary-Treasurer, 4.

VIRGINIA MAE WILSON - FHA, 1,2,3; FBLA, 3; Glee Club, 4; Librarian, 4; Library Club, 4; Renaner Staff, 3.

Elementary

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Mrs. Eliza Hines
Morgan Allen, Jr.
Steve Bennett
Judy Blanks
Brenda Dawson

Charles Dawson
David Doss
Judy Ruth Edwards
Nan Hodnett
Earleen Hutcherson
Herbert Keatts

Patricia Lanier
Jackie Meadows
Nancy Moon
Nancy Neal
Annie Marie Saunders
Billy Tucker

Jackie Wilson
Bernice Ann Woodson
Brenda Woodson
Ronnie Wyatt
Mrs. Helen Worsham
Johnny Bailess

Glenn Dalton
James L. Doss
Melvin Dudley
Kenneth Elliott
Elizabeth Hendricks
Butch Hoskins

Gearleen Hutcherson
LarryJones
Betty Jo Layne
Ricky Milam
JoAnn Moorefield
Frances Moschler

Elementary

Jean Nuckols
Ella Belle Rowland
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Brent Shelton
James Stone
Ramsey Wilson

Jean Worsham
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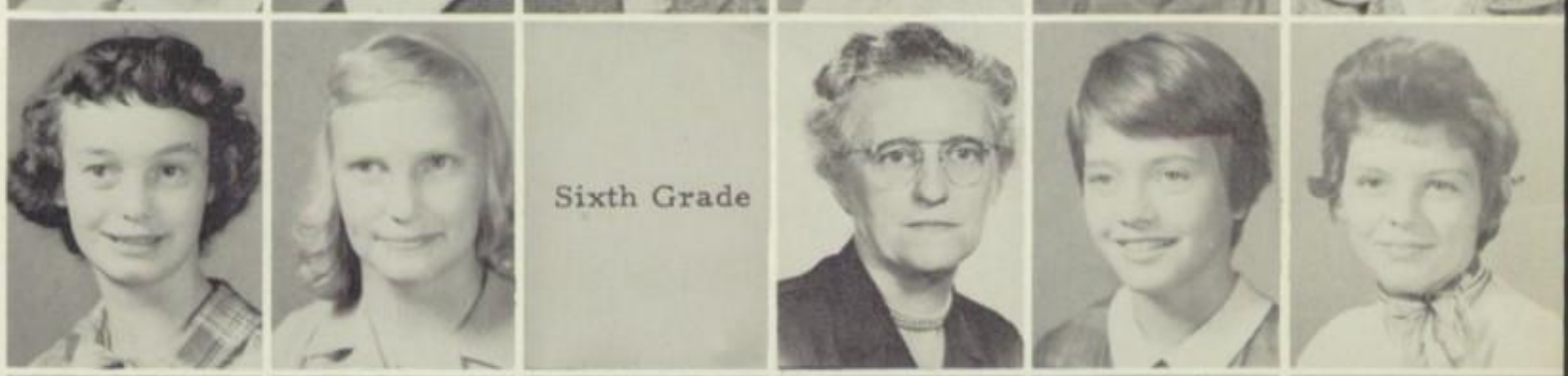
Martha Bailess



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David Hutcherson
Rachael Hutcherson
Philip Jacobs
Marjorie Jennings
Donnie Jones
Emily Lea

Candace Mattox
Leslie Moon
Mike Moon
Clarence Oakes
Bonnie Lou Pickeral
Mary Gayle Reynolds

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John Riggleman
Larry Roack
Oscar Robertson
Cecile Rowland
Henry Rowland
Nannie Rowland

Hammie Lee Saunders
Janice Saunders
Sandra Saunders
Carol Ann Shelton
Linda Lee Shotwell
Betty Trent

Dorothy Wilson

Mrs. Dorothy Owen
Kay Andrews
Frances Bailess
Barbara Blanks

June Booker
Louise Brooks
Birthie Callahan
Glenn Clay
J. W. Crews
Sandra Crews

Bobby Dalton
Wayne Dawson
Patricia Drumwright
Wayne Eanes
Gaylene Farmer
Linda Giles

Nanette Hall
Charlie Hutcherson
Peggy Hutcherson
Richard Hutcherson
Rachel Jones
Josephine Keatts

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Connie Mayhew
Wayne Meadows
Janie Moschler
Ann Pruitt
Nancy Reynolds
Peggy Rowland

Patricia Shorter
Billy Stone
Daphne Stone
Ray Stone
Linda Tucker
James Wilson

Ruby Wilson
Virgil Worsham
Harold Wyatt

Mrs. Clara Rowland
Larry Bailess

Nobie Brooks
Shirley Brooks
Glenda Cothran
Barry Davis
Peggy Davis
Nancy Dawson

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Judy Doss
Gwenda Dudley
Kitty Sue Elliott
Thomas Gregory
Sally Hubbard

Mary Lois King
Mary Layne
Cynthia Mattox
Larry Mayhew
Donald Mills
Don Perkins

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John Shotwell
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Calvin Hendricks
Betty Hutcherson
Tommy Hutcherson
David Jacobs
James Keatts
Ray Miller

Brenda Sue Moon
Joyce Oakes
Dan Perkins
Sara Pruitt
Roger Robertson
Danny Rowland

Kathy Thompson
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Linda Andrews
Mike Bailess
Billy Bennett

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Larry Booker
Butch Crews
Tony Crews
Ray Davis
Junetta Edwards

Wayne Gregory
Tom Hutcherson
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Earl Callaham
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Jimmy Hendricks
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Gayre Kelley

Mary Keatts
Jimmy Shelton
Calvin Worsham
Shirley Barbour
Nancy Booker
Carter Clay

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Phillip Clay
Dianne Cothran
Ann Crews
Kay Doss
Wayne Elliott
Judy Farmer

Bobbie Hammock
Cynthia Jacobs
Belinda Johnson
Ruby Lee Layne
Pamela Mattox
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Patricia Meadows
Gerald Mills
Everette Moorefield
Becky Moon
Gail Moon

Joan Roach
Danny Singleton
Carolyn Tucker
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Benny Rowland

Joan Rowland
Roger Rowland
Debra Shelton
Bobby Tucker
Joe Waller
Jackie Wilson

Bobby Worsham
Susan Wyatt

Cafeteria Staff

Mrs. Gladys Adams

Rising early, rushing late, feeding hungry students. We appreciate the endless consideration that our cafeteria staff accords us in creating special decorations and menus for every holiday and in the daily cleanliness of the cafeteria.

Mrs. Myrtle Edwards

Mrs. Janie Crowder

Mrs. Maude Power

Custodian

Mr. Otis Crowder

The projector doesn't work---Yes the fuse needs replacing. Without the help of our custodian those little chores would become so big. We appreciate his efforts in keeping our buildings clean.

Features

Senior Superlatives

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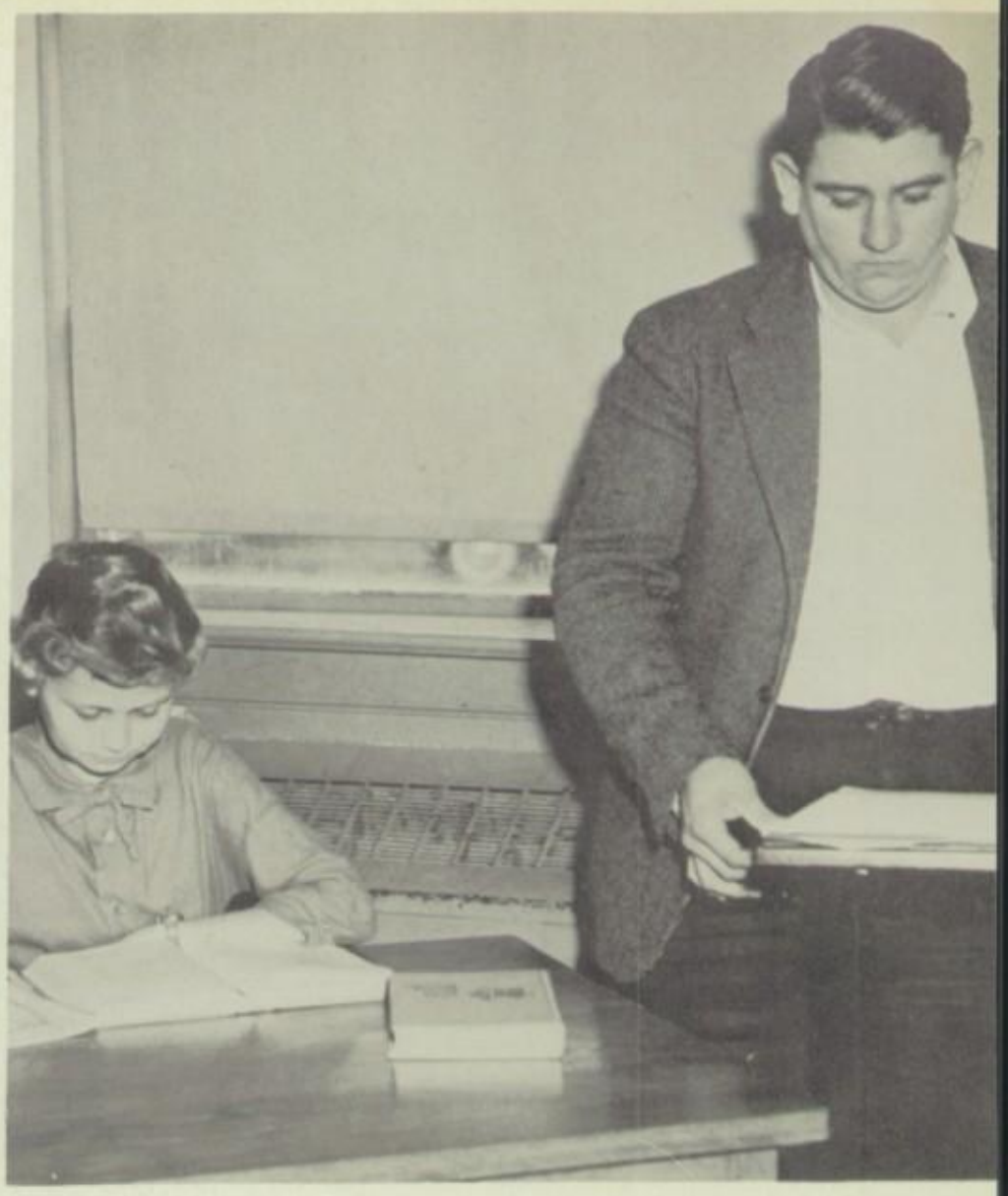
Faye Hines-Philip Trent



MOST STUDIOUS
Barbara Hutcherson-Bobby Grubbs

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Carolyn Dews-Kenneth Hutcherson

TYPICAL SENIORS
Nancy Farmer-Wendell Kelly

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Gerald Edwards-Linda Moon

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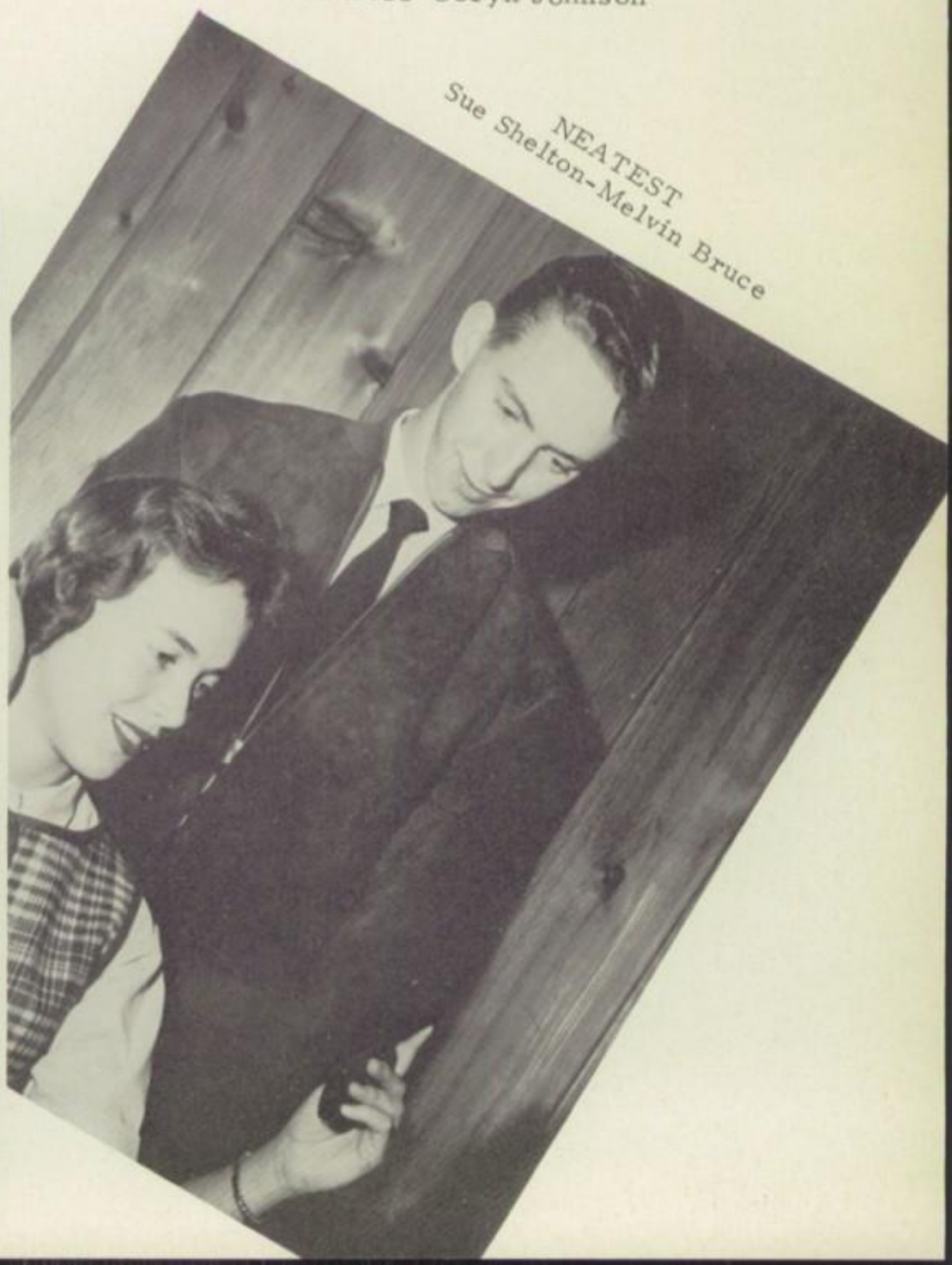
BEST SPORTS
Melvin Albeck-Nancy Grubbs



NEATEST
Sue Shelton-Melvin Bruce

Senior Superlatives

BEST ALL AROUND
John Reynolds-Judy Shelton

MOST ATHLETIC
Charles Edwards-Alma Robertson

MOST COURTEOUS
Waverley Jones-Dolores Dawson

MOST DEPENDABLE
Reuben Mayhew-Virginia Wilson

Senior Honor Students

JAMES McARTHUR DOSS

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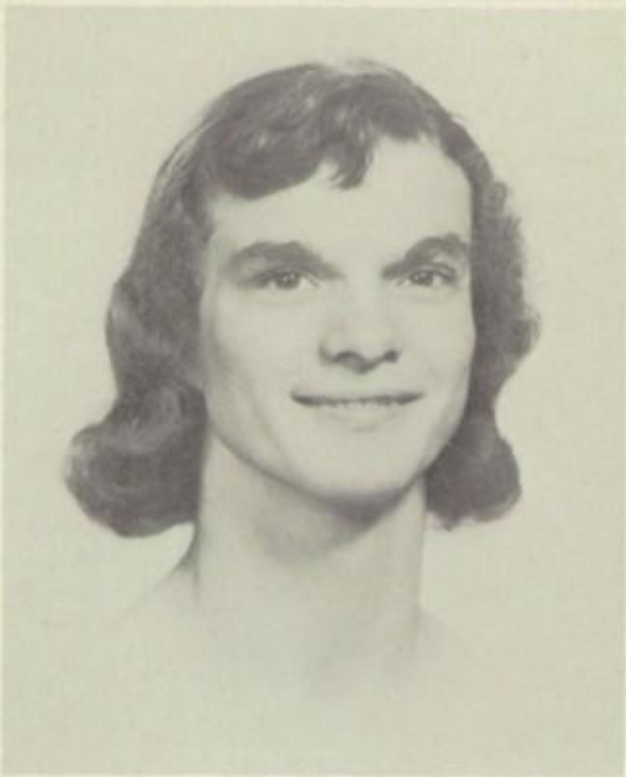
CORYN AYERS JOHNSON

LINDA DALE MOON



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Miss Renan

NANCY MARIE FARMER

Activities

First row: Eunice Jacobs, Sue Shelton, Julia Coleman, Patsy Crews, Linda Moon, Gracie Johnson, Betty Elliott, Nancy Dawson. Second row: Ronnie Shelton, Linda Dawson, Ann Jacobs, Garner Dillard, Alma Robertson, Nancy Grubbs, Susan Coleman, Dana Finch, Gloria Hutcherson. Third row: Judy Shelton, Mack Doss, James Stone, Charles Edwards, Gerald Edwards, John Waller, Connie Johnson.

Beta Club

"Let us lead by serving others" is the motto of the National Beta Club, a leadership service organization for students in their Sophomore, Junior and Senior year. The Beta Club was founded to stimulate effort, promote character, to reward merit, stimulate achievement and to encourage and assist members to continue their education after high school graduation.

Membership is based upon good mentality and character, achievement, commendable attitude, and the other Beta principles, leadership, honesty, charity, and service. The Beta Club's main project is the publishing of a yearbook. The club also holds regular monthly meetings with planned programs and at this time awards a courtesy award to an outstanding person in the club. Some of the other events are: attending the two federation meetings, attending the annual state convention, preparing bulletin boards, serve a Ruritan supper and sponsors a spring dance.

We have twenty-four (24) members and we feel that we are very fortunate to have one of our members, Gerald Edwards, to serve as Virginia State Beta President for this year. We are very proud to wear the Beta Emblem and we try to live up to the ideals for which the Beta Club stands.

Discussing the projects of the Beta Club for this year are Alma Robertson, Mack Doss, Gracie Johnson, Gloria Hutcherson and Gerald Edwards.

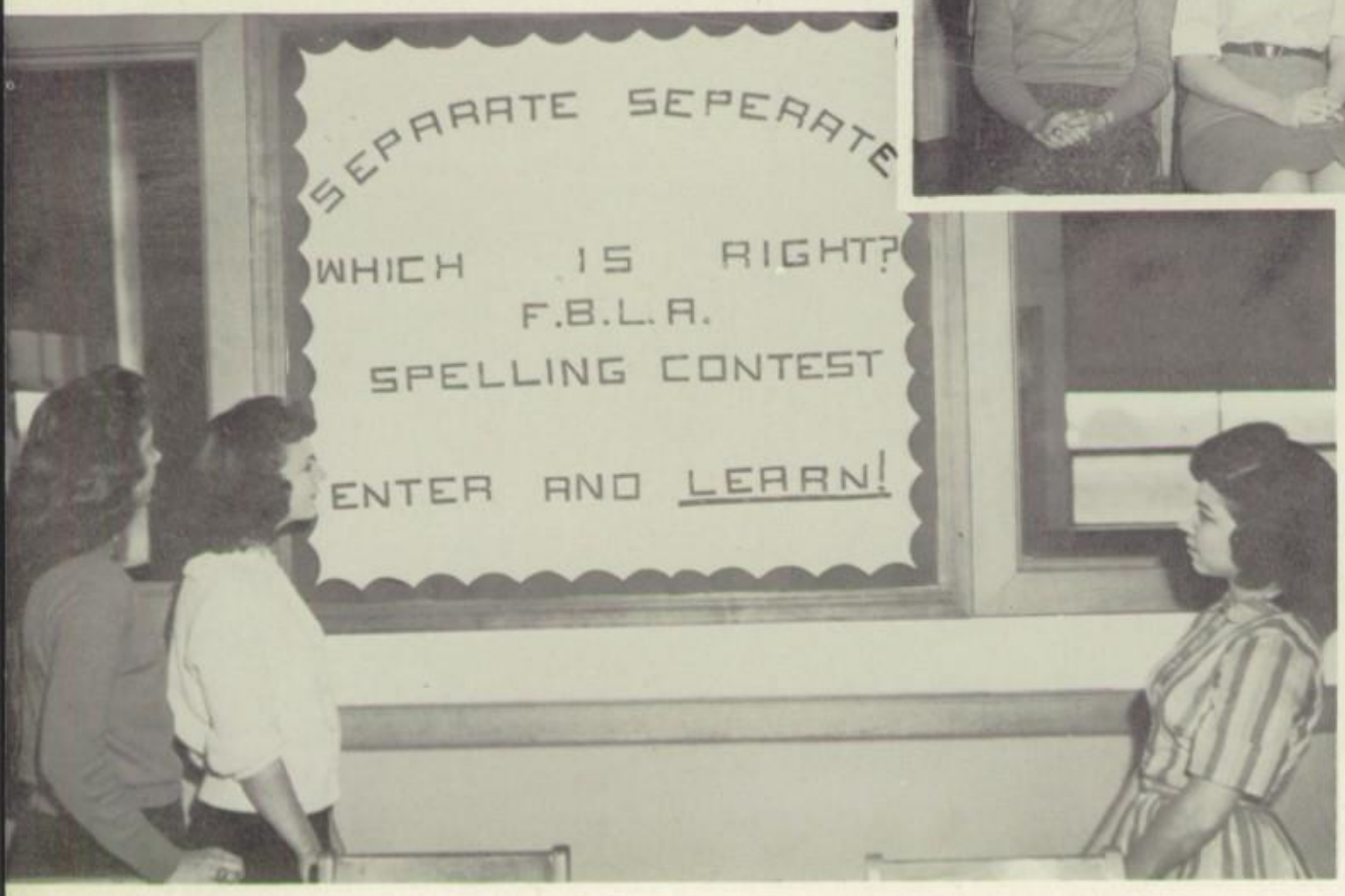
Beta Club Officers: First row: Mrs. Kathryn Hutcherson, sponsor; Gracie Johnson, reporter; Gloria Hutcherson, secretary; Patsy Crews, second-vice president. Second row: Charles Edwards, president; Alma Robertson, treasurer; Gerald Edwards, vice-president.

Future Business Leaders Of America

Front row: Barbara Elliott, Diane Hall, Judy Moorefield, Judy Layne, Billy Shelton, Julia Coleman, Betty Elliott, Paulette Watlington, Linda Hart. 2nd row: Eunice Jacobs, Elaine Hodnett, Wylene Compton, Gracie Johnson, Nancy Grubbs, Faye Hines, Bobby Shelton, Jane Edwards. 3rd row: Susan Coleman, Bobby Grubbs, Connie Johnson, William Lovelace, Peggy Bennett, Linda Lanier, Nancy Farmer.

Future Business Leaders of America is the national organization for students in business education. The main project of the Renan Chapter for the year is parliamentary law, which included a study course for three months. A Halloween dance, the purchase of an electric adding machine, an assembly program, a business trip, and a business speaker, these are some of the club activities for the year of 1959 through 1960.

These three members, Nancy Farmer, Faye Hines, and Diane Hall are seen looking at the FBLA Spelling Contest bulletin board.



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Susan Coleman
Secretary
Linda Lanier
Vice-President
Billy Shelton
President
Standing:
Miss Iva Jean Sours
Sponsor
Peggy Bennett
Song Leader
Connie Johnson
Historian

Front row: B. Elliott, J. Edwards, G. Hutcherson, P. Crews, L. Moon, S. Shelton, S. Coleman, N. Dawson, G. Johnson, J. Layne, N. Bruce, S. Power, B. Dawson, O. Compton, W. Saunders, D. Hall, L. Hart. Second row: F. Keesee, H. Worsham, B. Crews, F. Hines, J. Moorefield, N. Hutcherson, D. Arthur, A. Jacobs, J. Coleman, J. Davis, B. Elliott, V. Davis, L. Roach, B. Jennings. Third row: D. Finch, W. Giles, L. Power, J. Robertson, L. Blackstock, P. Bennett, J. Moon, M. Waller, B. Giles, P. Dalton, W. Compton, E. Davis, P. Watlington, C. Hutcherson. Fourth row: L. Rowland, J. Hutcherson, J. Shelton, C. Johnson, B. Goode, L. Mitchell, N. Layne, L. Lewis, N. Farmer, C. Dews, L. Dawson, P. Jacobs, E. Jacobs, E. Compton.

Future Homemakers Of America

The Future Homemakers of America, is a national organization of pupils interested in homemaking taught in junior and senior high schools. The Renan Chapter, consisting of sixty-two members, is under the leadership of Mrs. Elizabeth Harper.

This organization seeks to improve home and family living, to foster the setting of a higher personal standard of accomplishment, to promote a program of state and community service, and to develop initiative and leadership.

Our major projects have been the beautification of school property, a Christmas tea for the faculty, a polio project, a banquet, and a contest on safety.

FHA Officers: Ann Jacobs, Parliamentarian; Susan Coleman, Historian; Linda Moon, Treasurer; Elaine Davis, Vice-President; Sue Shelton, President; Linda Dawson, Secretary; Peggy Bennett, Song Leader; Mrs. Elizabeth Harper, Advisor; Nancy Dawson, Reporter.

These FHA girls, Ann Jacobs, Linda Lewis, and Sue Shelton pose for the photographer in front of their bulletin board on "Safety in the Home."

Future Farmers Of America

Front row: V. Crews, T. Davis, H. Keatts, G. E. Milan, R. Shelton, B. Anderson, J. Moon, B. Shelton, D. Booker, T. Saunders, T. Rowland, B. Layne, Mr. C. J. Franks. Second row: B. Shelton, N. Worsham, J. Worsham, A. Hollie, M. Albeck, J. Waller, G. Hutcherson, R. Mayhew, P. Shotwell, G. Edwards, C. Edwards, K. Hutcherson. Third row: A. Nuckols, J. Hubbard, S. Stone, H. Compton, J. Jennings, D. Stone, C. Dillard, D. Adams, W. Crews, W. Eades, B. Johnson, J. Robertson, W. Compton, W. Kelly. Fourth row: R. J. Rowland, B. Davis, W. Jacobs, D. Watlington, L. Short, L. Johnson, G. Mays, R. Clay, R. Moon, J. Moon, J. Shelton, J. D. Moon, K. Clay, W. Clay, A. Moon.

The Future Farmers of America, under the direction of Mr. C. J. Franks is an organization for high school boys studying agriculture. Some of its aims and purposes are: To develop competent, aggressive, rural, and agricultural leadership; to strengthen the confidence of farm boys and young men in themselves and their work; to encourage members in the development of individual farming programs and establishment in farming; to participate in worthy undertakings for the improvement of agriculture; to develop character; to train for useful citizenship and foster patriotism; to encourage and practice thrift; to encourage improvement; to provide and encourage the development of organized rural and recreational activities.

Officers: Front row: Gene Hutcherson, Sentinel; Bobby Shelton, President; Kenneth Hutcherson, Vice-President; Ronnie Shelton, Secretary; Mr. C. J. Franks, Advisor. Second row: Billy Shelton, Parliamentarian; George Mays, Treasurer; John Waller, Reporter; Abbitt Hollie, Chaplain.

Working in the shop under the supervision of Mr. C. J. Franks, Instructor, is a part of the FFA vocational agricultural training program.

Front row: Harold Keatts, Sue Shelton, Linda Moon, Elaine Davis, Vernelle Davis, Gloria Hutcherson, Patsy Crews. Second row: Roger Dawson, Melvin Bruce, Peggy Bennett, Alma Robertson, Joyce Robertson, Billy Shelton. Third row: Johnnie Hall, Philip Trent, Charles Edwards, Gerald Edwards, Wayne Eades, Bobby Shelton. Fourth row: John Waller, Billy Johnson, Leroy Short, Ronald Moon, Junior Clay, Gene Hutcherson.

Monogram Club

Monogram Club Officers: Seated: Peggy Bennett, Reporter; Joyce Robertson, Secretary; Patsy Crews, President; Mrs. Byron Blair, Sponsor. Standing: Philip Trent, Vice-President; Mr. Harold Johnson, Sponsor; Roger Dawson, Treasurer.

The Monogram Club's an organization composed of students who have fulfilled the requirements for a letter in sports. These students lead the school in developing good sportsmanship and fair play. Some of their activities this year were a pep rally before each home game, a dance in the fall, and a banquet in the spring.

These enthusiastic girls sparked school spirit and good sportsmanship at the pep rallies, one of the Monogram Club's projects for the year.

Glee Club

Front row: Mrs. Marie Waters, instructor; Brenda Jennings, Linda Roach, Nancy Bruce, Linda Moon, Wylene Compton, Peggy Bennett, Faye Keesee, Betty Dawson, Hortense Updike, Naomi Rowland. 2nd row: Nancy Grubbs, Virginia Wilson, Nancy Farmer, Judy Shelton, Linda Lanier, Ellen Riggleman, Mary Wilson, Jean Hutcherson, Patricia Dalton, Marie Waller, Dana Finch. 3rd row: Mr. L. Hampton Benton, director; Linda Lewis, Mack Doss, Melvin Bruce, Bobby Grubbs, Karl Clay, Abbitt Hollie, Billy Johnson, Bruce Arthur, Billy Shelton, Judy Moon.

The Glee Club has been very successful this year. Directed by L. Hampton Benton, we have provided musical entertainment for the Ruritan Club and P.T.A. meetings, assemblies, and graduation. We sung for a womanless wedding for the Chatham Lions' Club and a meeting of the Hargrave Women's Club held in the Green Lantern Tea Room. We also participated in the Pittsylvania County Annual Christmas Festival held in the Chatham High School auditorium on Sunday evening, December 13. We recorded a program of Christmas music to be played over Radio Station WMNA. Instructed by Mrs. Marie Waters, we have studied music history, appreciation, and theory. We have listened to different kings of recorded music. Through our Glee Club, we have learned to sing and to accept a wide variety of music. Our Glee Club has been an inspiration to us; and to it we sing our "Note of Thanks".

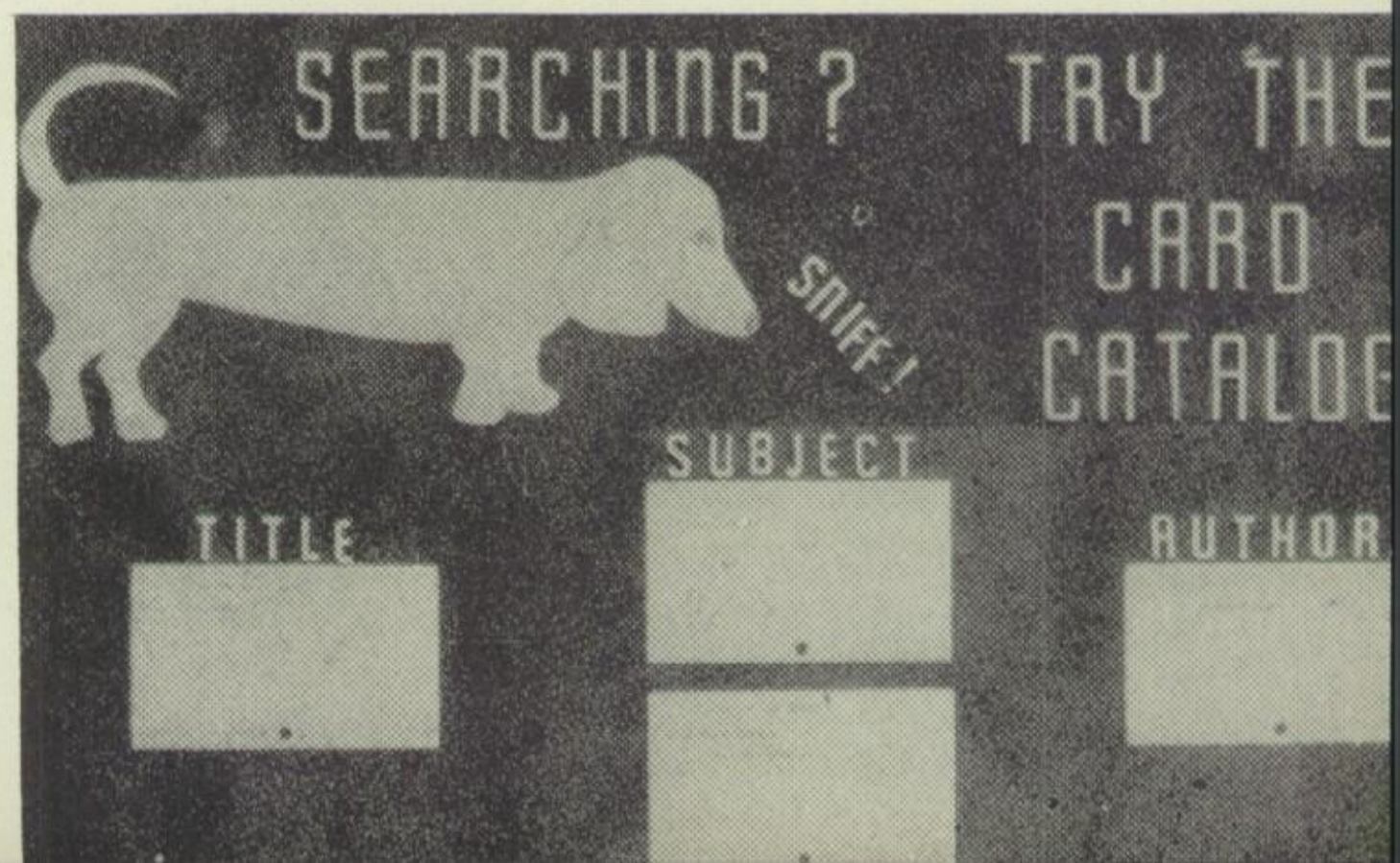
Judy and Billy Shelton both agree that the quarter note gets one count as Mrs. Marie Waters, instructor, explains.

Glee Club Officers: Seated: Linda Lanier, Reporter; Linda Moon, President; Nancy Farmer, Secretary; Peggy Bennett, Librarian. Standing: Melvin Bruce, Treasurer; Karl Clay, Sargeant-in-Arm's, Mack Doss, Vice-President.

Front row: Nancy Bruce, Freshman Class Representative; Miss Sue Wyatt, Sponsor; Linda Hart, Sophmore Class Representative. Second row: Kenneth Hutcherson, Senior Class Representative; Shirley Power, Eighth Grade Representative; Mack Doss, President; Elaine Davis, Junior Class Representative; Philip Trent, Secretary-Treasurer.

Library Club

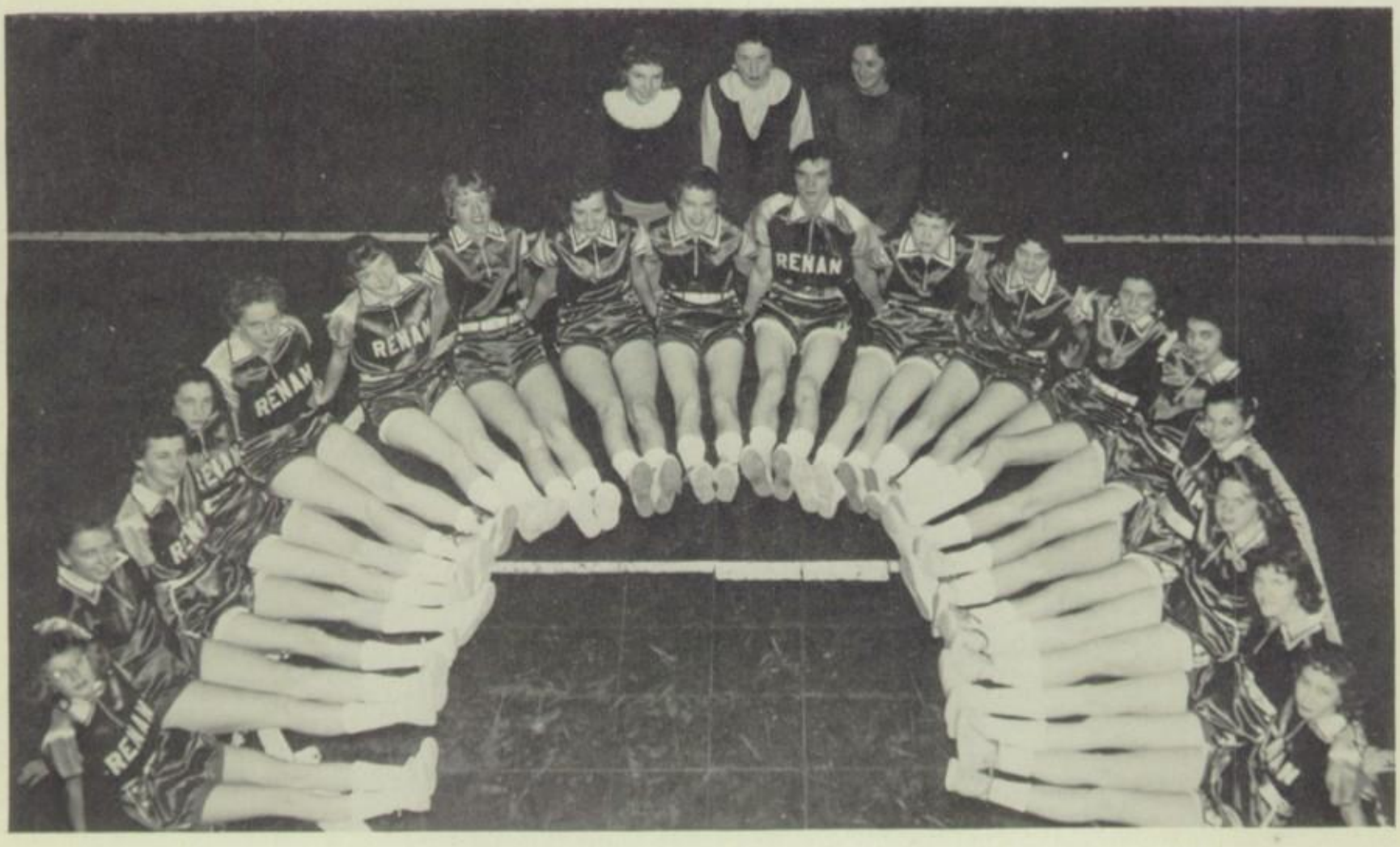
The Library Club was organized this year under the direction of Miss Sue Wyatt, Librarian. The club promotes aims such as sponsoring a greater interest among students in libraries and library science; to stimulate reading interests; to improve the library program in the school; to encourage interest in library work as a career.



This bulletin board was used to encourage interest in reading and the usage of the card catalogue.

Athletics

Girl's Basketball



From left to right: Barbara Elliott, Nancy Eanes, Judy Moorefield, Nancy Hutcherson, Brenda Good, Paulette Watlington, Wendy Giles, Wylene Compton, Shirley Power, Manager; Sue Shelton, Mrs. Byron Blair, Coach; Alma Robertson, Coryn Johnson, Manager; Helen Worsham, Gloria Hutcherson, Lavonne Power, Joyce Robertson, Carolyn Hutcherson, Julia Coleman. Eunice Jacobs, Jane Edwards.

Captain
Sue Shelton

Girls' Varsity Basketball is a sport which offers a healthful and stimulating activity for high school girls through the development of coordination, accuracy, timing, and team work. This year the team has worked hard to maintain these traits and to show good playing ability and good sportsmanship. Working under the capable leadership of Mrs. Mary Lou Blair, coach, are the team captains, Sue Shelton and Alma Robertson, managers Coryn Johnson and Shirley Power.

Captain
Alma Robertson

Boy's Basketball

Kneeling: Roger Dawson, R. J. Rowland, Bobby Shelton, Gerald Edwards, Johnnie Hall, J. D. Moon, David Booker, Standing: Billy Shelton, manager; John Waller, Randy Treadway, Gerald Jacobs, Leroy Short, Ronald Moon, Billy Anderson, manager; Mr. Harold Johnson, Coach.

Co-Captain
Johnnie Hall

Boys Basketball is a sport which promotes good sportsmanship and maintains healthy bodies and a sense of fair play. The team, this year under the leadership of Coach Harold Johnson and Co-Captains Gerald Edwards and Johnnie Hall, has demonstrated the qualities of a good team through their good sportsmanship and teamwork. Their managers have been Billy Shelton and Billy Anderson.

Co-Captain
Gerald Edwards

Baseball

Front row: Gerald Edwards, Johnnie Hall, Julian Shelton, Wayne Compton, Roger Dawson, Harold Keatts. Second row: Gene Hutcherson, Bobby Shelton, John Waller, Junior Clay, Mr. Harold Johnson, Coach.

Another man out as Roger Dawson runs to make the play at first base.

The Renan 9 opened the '59 season with a 1 to 0 loss to Spring Garden and managed to cope two victories and one tie in eight District Q games. They supplied the fans with an exciting brand of baseball as they played many close games.

Renan	0	Spring Garden	1
Renan	10	Callands	0
Renan	1	Climax	9
Renan	1	Chatham	2
Renan	0	Spring Garden	4
Renan	4	Climax	3
Renan	7	Chatham	7
Renan	4	Callands	7

The cheerleaders for this season are: Linda Hart, Vernelle Davis, Linda Moon, Faye Hines, Patsy Crews, Betty Elliott, Nancy Bruce, and Elaine Davis.

Cheerleaders

The cheerleaders are an organized group of girls selected by the student body on the basis of personality, popularity, and cheering ability. Through their hard work, enthusiam, and smiles, the "Ramblers" have been led to many victories. The cheerleaders work with the student body to encourage interest and confidence among fans and team members.

Captain
Patsy Crews

Co-Captain
Linda Moon

"How do you like Gretna? Beat! Beat!! Beat!!!" say the cheerleaders as they lead the group with a yell.

Soccer Team

Front row: Roger Dawson, Harold Keatts, R. J. Rowland, Jimmy Wilson, Randy Treadway, J. D. Moon, John Waller, Johnnie Hall. Second row: Stephen Dunn, Donald Stone, David Booker, Billy Anderson, John Nuckols, Gerald Jacobs, Mr. Harold Johnson, Coach.

The Soccer team is seen in one of their practice sessions before one of their outings with William Campbell J.V.'s.

The Renan Booters, playing their first interscholastic schedule, were able to manage only one tie with William Campbell's J.V.'s in four outings against more experienced squads. However, the Ramblers continued to improve throughout the season and should provide an exciting brand of ball to the local fans next season.

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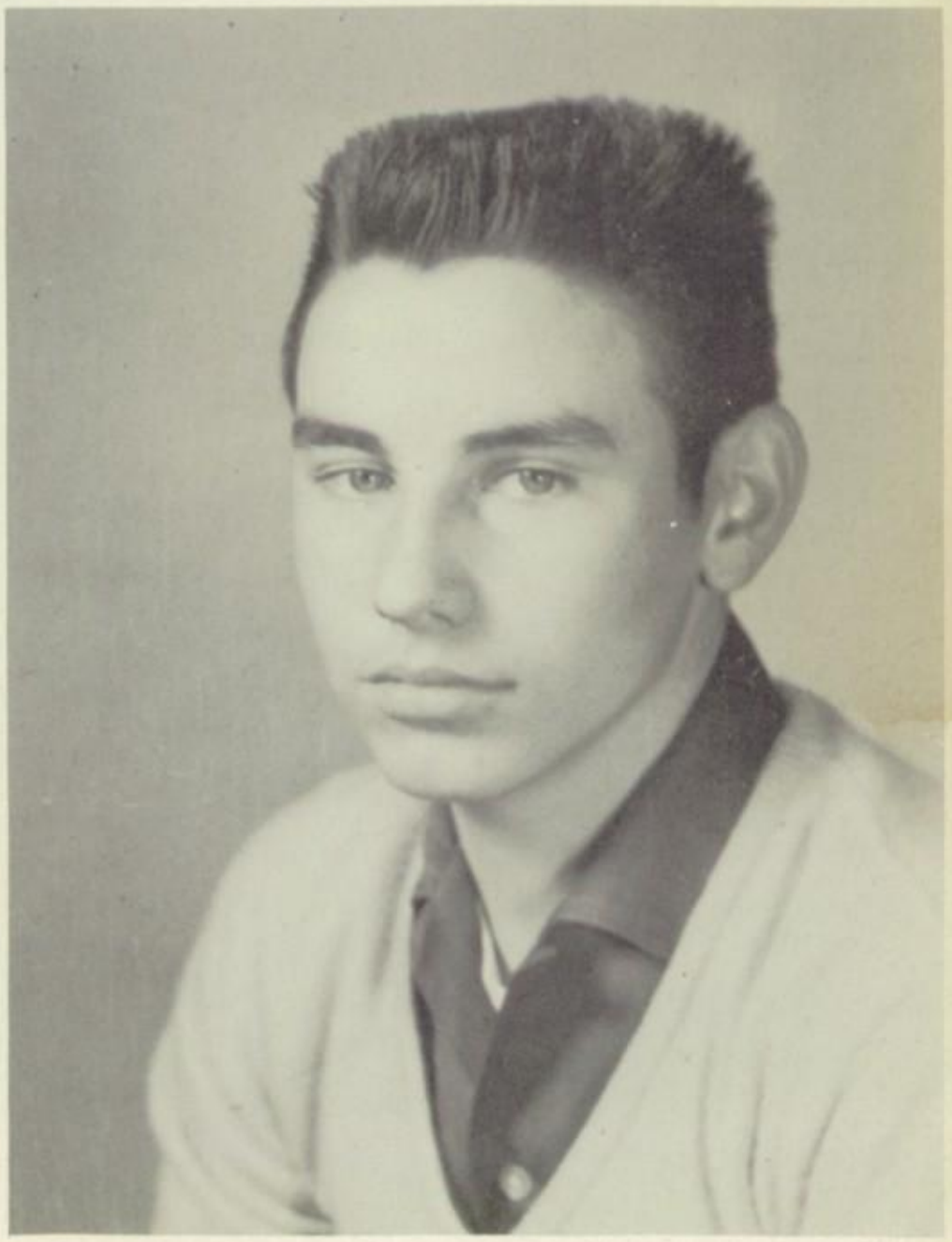

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